

September 22, 1910

V. R. POTTER

V. R. Potter, one of the most widely known and successful of Day County's farmers, died at his home near Pierpont on Saturday last. Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon by Rev. Sanderson of Andover, and by the Masonic fraternity, A. E. Raynes of Andover officiating as worshipful master. Burial occurred in the cemetery at Andover.

Deceased was a resident of Groton for one winter, some years ago, having moved here to give the children school advantages, and was quite well known in Masonic circles. Funeral service occurred at the home, and eight auto loads of Masons and members of the Eastern Star went from here to attend the funeral, both Mr. and Mrs. Potter being members of the last named order.

Mr. Potter was the ideal country gentleman and home builder and developed a fine farm property. The late Gov. Sheldon owned the adjoining farm, and it was under masonic ceremony that the latter was buried some years ago.

Such men as Mr. Potter, in the work of developing of a new country, leave an impress which lives long after they have laid down the cares of life. Although most of us remember Mr. Potter as a man of fine physique and the picture of health, he had been a sufferer for a number of months before the final summons came.